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Customer Number

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Docket No.: 32355.44.4

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of:	)	
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Simon et al.	)	
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Serial No.: 10/675,660	)	Group Art Unit: 3738
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Filed: 30 September 2003	)	Examiner: Willse, David H.
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For: CARTILAGE REPAIR PLUG	)	
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To: Mail Stop Amendment AF		
Commissioner for Patents		
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

This Response is filed in reply to the Final Office Action mailed December 26, 2007 in the above-identified case, the unextended period for response is set to expire on March 26, 2008.

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